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Sir :

In response to the Official Action, dated April 9, 2008, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on July 9, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections, together with the allowance of all the claims pending in the present application in view of the present submission and the concurrently filed RCE.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this document.